

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Wilma Tillgren graduated from General Beadle State Teachers College with a 2-year degree and continued her education at Dakota State University earning a 4-year degree in education with summer school and evening classes; and,

Whereas, Wilma will retire from the Estelline School District after 46 years of teaching on May 23, 2007; and,

Whereas, Wilma taught 4th grade students for 3 years at Lake Preston, South Dakota, and taught 3rd and 4th grade students for the next 43 years for the Estelline School District; and,

Whereas, Wilma and her husband, David, live at Bruce, South Dakota, are the parents of three daughters and have been blessed with seven grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Wilma's retirement days will find her traveling to spend time with family, enjoying her hobbies of collecting dolls, salt and pepper shakers and clowns and learning to play golf; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan as her colleagues, friends and family gather to honor Wilma on May 18, 2007:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 18, 2007, as

WILMA TILLGREN DAY

in South Dakota, and to recognize Wilma for her commitment to a successful career and extend best wishes for a healthy and happy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventh Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seven.



M. Michael Rounds
M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson
Chris Nelson, Secretary of State